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Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett Appoints New Harbor Commissioner

Mr. Claude Krawczyk was appointed to the Board of Harbor Commissioners by City of Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett on July 30, 2008. The Milwaukee Board of Harbor Commissioners is comprised of seven members appointed by the City of Milwaukee Mayor and confirmed by the City of Milwaukee Common Council. This is Mr. Krawczyk's first appointment to the Board of Harbor Commissioners.



Since 1986, Mr. Krawczyk has served as an Attorney for O'Neil, Cannon, Hollman, DeJong, S.C., a Milwaukee-based law firm, representing landlords and tenants in commercial lease transactions, developers of real property, lenders and borrowers in loan transactions, and business owners drafting and negotiating manufacturing, distribution, and other related agreements and contracts.

A life long resident of Milwaukee, Mr. Krawczyk has served in many leadership roles within his community, serving as a chairperson, board member, and officer for a number of non-profit organizations since 1988.

He has also served as volunteer legal counsel to numerous community organizations helping them to achieve their goals.

He will serve a 1-year term before coming up for re-election in November of 2009.

There were two other reappointments to the Board of Harbor Commissioners; On July 30, 2008, Craig A. Mastantuono and Ronald San Filippo were both reappointed to 3-year terms.

Established in 1920, the seven-member Board of Harbor Commissioners is responsible for setting policy for the Port of Milwaukee and approving actions designed to enhance the overall economic and social environment of the city and region.